

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L MADRID 08332

BRUSSELS ALSO FOR USEEC

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PINS, PINT, SP  
SUBJECT: ARMY OFFICERS ASSASSINATED

1. AT 0845 JULY 21 THREE ASSAILANTS GUNNED DOWN  
BRIGADIER GENERAL JUAN SANCHEZ RAMOS-IZQUIERDO, CHIEF  
OF ARMAMENT AND MATERIAL OF THE ARMY'S ARTILLERY  
BRANCH, AND HIS AIDE, LT. COL. JUAN PEREZ RODRIGUEZ, ON  
A MADRID STREET. THE ASSAILANTS FLED AND HAVE NOT  
BEEN APPREHENDED. THE SPANISH AUTHORITIES SUSPECT THE  
BASQUE TERRORIST ETA IS RESPONSIBLE. TODMAN

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## Message Attributes

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